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Bernard's Creole Kitchen Relocates to Stinson Municipal Airport

Local business sets up shop at historic south side airport

FEBRUARY 11, 2013- San Antonio, TX--- Stinson Municipal Airport located on San Antonio's south side is getting a new restaurant. Bernard's Creole Kitchen is moving into the historic airports café space. The popular Creole-themed eatery will open for business on Fat Tuesday in celebration of Mardi Gras.

After seeing former Mayor Phil Hardberger on television welcoming Hurricane Katrina victims to San Antonio, Bernard McGraw, owner of Bernard's Creole Kitchen, and his wife and six children relocated from New Orleans to San Antonio in 2005. Their love for Creole food, and drive to make a better life for themselves, inspired them open a kitchen.

"Stinson Municipal Airport was built by pioneers in the aviation industry is 1915, a family with a true entrepreneurial spirit," said Frank R. Miller, City of San Antonio Aviation Director. "That spirit is exactly what Bernard and his family embody. Their attention to customer service, their work with the community and of course excellent food made them a perfect fit for what we were seeking for this space."

Serving traditional Creole, and sometimes Cajun, fare from gumbo, fried catfish and "drunken chicken," has become a favorite of the City's Southside.

"It's great to see how life is coming full circle," said Bernard McGraw of Bernard's Creole Kitchen. "The City of San Antonio has done so much for our family, especially being part of the city's south side. It is an honor and a privilege to now be associated with a team and with a community that is helping do great things in the area."

The original Bernard's was a rental house at on Palo Alto. It quickly became a favorite of Military personnel from Lackland Air Force Base. Soon, Bernard's was outgrowing their location, Bernard, currently a theology student at Baptist University of the Américas (BUA), and the BUA administration worked it out so that Bernard's could relocate and grow his business on campus.

Bernard's Creole Kitchen is located in the main terminal building at Stinson Municipal Airport at 8535 Mission Rd. San Antonio, TX 78214. For more information check out Bernard's website, www.bernardssa.com

The Hours of Operation are:

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday – 7:00 am-7:00 pm

Thursday, Friday, Saturday—7:00 am-9:00 pm

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